

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Richard R. Rabbat et al.
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Examiner: Andrew W. Chriss
Confirmation No. 8438
Title: TIME CONSTRAINED FAILURE RECOVERY IN
COMMUNICATION NETWORKS

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Office Action dated July 23, 2008, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejections of the claims in view of the following amendments and comments.